"A People of Power?"

Deut 8:3, Mark 1:35, Eph 6:17

Deuteronomy 8:3

"He humbled you, causing you to hunger and then feeding you with manna, which neither you nor your ancestors had known, to teach you that man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord."

2 Timothy 3:16-17

"All Scripture is **God-breathed** and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."

"We must never divorce what God has married, namely His Word and His Spirit. The Word of God is the Spirit's sword. The Spirit without the Word is weaponless; the Word without the Spirit is powerless."

John Stott

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"Remember" – Mr Maurice Lim

"To remember God is to act/live according to what we know of God and what He desires of us.

The purpose of remembering is to obey. Because not remembering, or forgetfulness, opens the door to disobedience and failure. So to not remember, and consequently to not obey, derails us from experiencing God's perfect plan for us."

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Joshua 1:8

"Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful."

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- 4. God's word guides us to make good and right decisions (Ps 109:105).
- 5. God's word protects us from sin and deception (Ps 109:11)
- 6. God's word renews our mind (Roman 12:2)
- 7. ...

Why do we read the Bible?

We read the Bible to stay connected with God, and to hear what our Father has to say to us, each day.

Mark 1:35

"Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed."

THE END.